

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of)
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 Cook) Art Unit: 4121
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 Application No. 10/564,494) Examiner: Shomer, Isaac
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 Filing Date: June 27, 2006) Confirmation No. 9161
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 For: METHOD FOR THE PREPARATION)
 OF CONTROLLED RELEASE)
 FORMULATIONS)

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that an extension of time for the period indicated below be granted in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 to take action required in the application identified in the caption, as reflected by the papers submitted herewith:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	One Month	\$130.00	\$65.00*
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